

INFORMATION BULLETIN

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TO: SERVICE DELIVERY AREA ADMINISTRATORS
PRIVATE INDUSTRY COUNCIL CHAIRPERSONS
JTPD PROGRAM OPERATORS
EDD JOB SERVICE OFFICE MANAGERS
JTPD STAFF

SUBJECT: DISLOCATED WORKER CONFERENCE 2000

This information bulletin is to encourage the Service Delivery Areas (SDA) to send Dislocated Worker Unit staff to the forthcoming Dislocated Worker Conference 2000.

The U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, Region VI is sponsoring a Dislocated Worker 2000 Conference, *Informing the System: Tools for Transition*, from March 15-17, 2000, at the Hyatt Islandia Hotel, San Diego. This conference will offer opportunities to learn about Planning and Conducting Early Intervention, Forming and Executing Service Strategies, Performance Management, and Best Practices During Transition.

Attached for your reference is a listing of the workshop topics and tracks, tentative conference agenda, pertinent registration/logistical information, and registration form. Please note the suspense dates for hotel and conference registrations.

If you have any questions regarding the conference, please contact Roger Schmitt at (916) 653-4803.

/S/ BILL BURKE
Assistant Deputy Director

Attachment

Dislocated Worker Conference 2000
Informing the System: Tools for Transition
March 15-17, 2000

Hyatt Islandia Hotel
1441 Quivara Road, San Diego, California 92109
(619) 224-1234

TOOLS FOR TRANSITION

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WORKSHOP TOPICS AND TRACKS

- I. Planning and Conducting Early Intervention
 - A. Rapid Response Tool Kit
 - B. Coordinating With Outplacement Firms
 - C. Negotiating Rapid Response with Employers
 - D. Pension and Health Care Portability Issues
 - E. Early Intervention and Layoff Aversion
 - F. Role of Organized Labor
 - G. TA and NAFTA
 - H. Marketing Strategies to Employers
- II. Forming and Executing Service Strategies
 - A. Individual Training Accounts
 - B. Intensive Services
 - C. One-Stop Partners
 - D. Incumbent Worker Training
 - E. Serving Displaced Homemakers
 - F. TA and NAFTA
- III. Performance Management
 - A. Customer Feedback: Getting and Using It
 - B. Continuous Improvement
- IV. Best Practices During Transition
 - A. Emergency Grants in WIA
 - B. Needs Related Payments
 - C. Early Implementers Experience
 - D. Rapid Response: What's Different Under WIA?

AGENDA

- **Wednesday, March 15, 2000**

9:00 am	Conference Registration
1:00 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Welcome and Opening Plenary Speaker <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Leadership Roles Panel
3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Breakout Sessions
5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	Reception

- **Thursday, March 16, 2000**

7:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Continental Breakfast <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Topical Roundtable with USDOL
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Breakout Sessions
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Luncheon (Speaker and/or Panel)
1:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Breakout Sessions

- **Friday, March 17, 2000**

7:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Continental Breakfast
8:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Breakout Sessions
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Luncheon (Speaker and/or Panel)
1:30 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Breakout Sessions and Q&A
3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Closing Plenary

REGISTRATION/LOGISTICAL INFORMATION

Lodging/Conference Location: **Hyatt Islandia Hotel**
1441 Quivara Road
San Diego, Ca 92109
(619) 224-1234
\$110 room rate, plus taxes
**The room block is being held only
until February 14, 2000.**

Hotel Check-in/Check-out: **Check In Time:** 4 p.m.
Check Out Time: 12 p.m.

Hotel Reservation/Cancellation Policy: TBA

Transportation from Airport: TBA

Parking at Hotel: TBA

Registration Deadline: March 3, 2000

Registration Fee: \$195

Make all checks payable to: **California Workforce Association**
1029 K Street, Suite 24
Sacramento, CA 95814

Two ways to register:

1. Electronically through the California Workforce Association's (CWA) Web site at www.calworkforce.org (Web site will be operative after February 7, 2000.)
2. By faxing registration form to **(916) 325-1614**.

Refund/Cancellation Policy:

Cancellations must be received in writing at CWA by March 3, 2000, to receive a refund of the conference registration fee, less a \$35 service charge. Registration fees for individuals canceling after March 3, 2000, will not be refunded. Substitutions will be accepted up until the time the training starts. Full fees will be billed to "no shows" and late cancellations.

REGISTRATION FORM

Registration Fee: \$195

Name _____

Title _____

Grantee/Organization _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

E-Mail _____ **Fax** _____

Phone _____

Special Needs _____

Please fax this form to CWA at (916) 325-1614 or mail to:

CWA
1029 K Street, Suite 24
Sacramento, CA 95814

Deadline Date for Conference Registration Is March 3, 2000

Note: Hotel reservations should be made by February 14, 2000, directly with the Hyatt Islandia Hotel at (619) 224-1234 to receive the meeting room rate of \$110, plus taxes.

For more information/updates, visit www.calworkforce.org, or call CWA at (916) 325-1615.